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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Executive

Chief, COARS

Assistant Director for Collection and Dissemination

SUBJECT:

Comments of AD/OCD on the Management Survey of the

Industrial Register.

- 1. The original concept of the Industrial Register was to have available industrial information to all users, such information to be supplied on a selective basis. By ICF dissemination we are encouraging the establishment of miniature industrial registers in the IAC. It is believed that emphasis should be placed on further effort to obtain TAC agreement to discontinue TOF dissemination in its present form.
- 2. The other points of difference indicated by AD/OCD revolve around the basic problem of abstracting and coding. Continuing further study is being given to this problem in coordination with COAPS and interested Assistant Directors.

Management Officer

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